

Resolution - Water Resources Development Grant

WHEREAS, the Durham County desires to sponsor, Whispering Pines Stream Restoration Project to reduce flood risk, improve water quality, and enhance public engagement while complying with the Neuse River, Falls Lake, and Jordan Lake requirements. Located in the Whispering Pines Mobile Home Park, the project includes approximately 1,700 linear feet of streambank stabilization and enhancements, as well as a 1,500-square-foot bioretention area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1) The Board requests the State of North Carolina to provide financial assistance to Durham County for Whispering Pines Stream Restoration Project in the amount of \$ \$600,000 or 33 percent of the nonfederal project costs, whichever is the lesser amount;
- 2) The Board assumes full obligation for payment of the balance of project costs;
- 3) The Board will obtain all necessary State and Federal permits;
- 4) The Board will comply with all applicable laws governing the award of contracts and the expenditure of public funds by local governments.
- 5) The Board will supervise construction of the project to assure compliance with permit conditions and to assure safe and proper construction according to approved plans and specifications;
- 6) The Board will obtain suitable spoil disposal areas as needed and all other easements or rights-of-way that may be necessary for the construction and operation of the project without cost or obligation to the State;
- 7) The Board will assure that the project is open for use by the public on an equal basis with no restrictions;
- 8) The Board will hold the State harmless from any damages that may result from the construction, operation and maintenance of the project;
- 9) The Board accepts responsibility for the operation and maintenance of the completed project.

Adopted by the Durham County Board of County Commissioners this _____ day of

_____, 20_____.

Clerk to the Board (Print Name)

Chair (Print Name)

Clerk to the Board (Signature)

Chair (Signature)